Whatcom County INVITATION TO BID BID 10-70

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received by Purchasing in the Whatcom County Administrative Services Finance Office at the Whatcom County Courthouse, 311 Grand Avenue Suite 503, Bellingham WA 98225 for the following:

CONSTRUCTION OF THE EAST WHATCOM REGIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

UNTIL: 2:30pm Thursday September 23, 2010

At which time and place they will be publicly opened and the names of the submitters identified. Any interested people are invited to be present. Late bids will not be accepted. Whatcom County Facilities Management is requesting bids for construction of the Whatcom County East Whatcom Regional Resource Center located at 8251, 8255 Kendall Road, Maple Falls WA 98266 and as further described in the bid documents.

For further information regarding Drawings and Specifications, contact King Architecture LLC, 401 Harris Ave #100, Bellingham WA 98225, phone 360-647-5464. Bid documents are available for purchase on CD for \$15.00 at Applied Digital Imaging, 360-671-9465. Paper plans and project manual are available for the cost of printing. Purchase price is non-refundable. Verify actual cost with Applied Digital Imaging. Plans and Specifications may be examined at the office of Whatcom County Facilities Management, phone 360-676-6746 or at the WCR plan room, 2215 Midway Lane #208, Bellingham WA 98226, phone 360-738-0370.

A mandatory walk-through will be held at 11:00 am on Thursday September 9, 2010. Meet at the Peaceful Valley Clubhouse located at 8225 Kendall Road, Sumas WA 98265.

Whatcom County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities.

Whatcom County will act in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and all other related laws to ensure that all disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, national origin, sex or age in consideration for an award. No otherwise qualified handicapped individual, by reason of their handicap will be excluded from participation, denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance.

The Contractor will be required to participate in the E-Verify Program.

Dated: 25 August 2010